

## INSTALLATION OF SECOND WATER METER FOR OUTSIDE WATER USAGE ONLY

1. Purchase the second meter from the Water and Sewer Department. This meter must be the same size as the original meter. You will be given a template to be installed in place of the meter. The costs are:

5/8" or 3/4"	\$150.00
1"	\$235.00

2. Purchase a plumbing permit (\$70.00) from the Building Department for the installation and changes to the plumbing as related to the installation of the second meter.

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### PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY

Second meter must be installed **after** the first meter

**Shut-off valves, the same size as the meter**, must be installed on both sides of the meter. (The second meter must be installed horizontally.)

All hose outlets and irrigation systems must have code approved backflow prevention devices – testable devices do need annual inspection reports

Please be patient during the spring and summer months – due to the high demand for second meter installations, your inspection process may take several weeks

A water-powered back-up sump pump may be connected to the second meter.

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3. When the plumbing work is complete, call the **Building Department** inspection line at **(586) 286-9320** to schedule an inspection. A twenty-four hour notice is required.
  4. Upon approval of the plumbing inspection, contact the **Water Department** at **(586) 286-9300** to schedule a cross connection inspection.
  5. After **both inspections** are approved, contact the **Water Department** at **(586) 286-9300** to schedule a meter installation.